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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s)

Hidehiko TESHIROGI et al.

Serial No.

09/821,321

For

MAGNETIC-TAPE RECORDING APPARATUS AND METHOD, MAGNETIC-TAPE REPRODUCTION APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND RECORDING MEDIUM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Ø No additional fee is required.

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This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

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This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360 (\$180) has been previously paid [], or is paid herewith . П This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8.